

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SOFIA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 851  
INFO AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV

C O N F I D E N T I A L SOFIA 0392

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PINS, BU (SHPETER, HENRICH NATAN)  
SUBJECT: SHPETER CASE

REF: A) STATE 037323 (NOTAL); B) 74 SOFIA 1484

WE HAVE TALKED TO AUSTRIAN EMBASSY WHICH PREVIOUSLY PLAYED ACTIVE ROLE IN SHPETER CASE BUT ARE UNABLE CONFIRM OR DENY REPORT THAT FAMILY OF HENRICH SHPETER HAS BEEN ALLOWED LEAVE BULGARIA TO JOIN HIM IN ISREAL.

DEPT WILL RECALL FROM  
REF B THAT AFTER SHPETER WAS RELEASED IN 1974, WE SUGGESTED THAT INFORMATION RELATING TO HIM COULD MOST LOGICALLY BE OBTAINED FROM SHPETER HIMSELF. INQUIRY FROM BULGARIANS WOULD NOT DO MUCH GOOD SINCE, AS REPORTED REF B, SHPETER SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN CHARGED HERE ALSO WITH ESPIONAGE ON BEHALF OF THE US. SUGGEST AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV MAY BE ABLE TO CONTACT DR. SHPETER.

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